

THE NEWS LETTER



Classes:
I-III
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**DELHI
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GAUTAM BUDDH NAGAR
Sector-132, NOIDA

In House/ External Events:

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Children's Day Celebration

*The children of today will make the India of tomorrow.
The way we bring them up will determine the future of
the country.*
~Jawaharlal Nehru

Children's Day is celebrated in India every year on November 14 as a tribute to India's First Prime Minister, Jawaharlal Nehru. Fondly known as Chacha Nehru, he was known for his affection for children. He considered children as the real strength of a nation and foundation of the society. Like every year, DPS, GBN celebrated Children's Day with full zeal and zest. The day began with a special online assembly followed by an exciting session on Microsoft Teams for the children of classes I – III on Wednesday, November 11, 2020. During the session, children enjoyed playing a lot of games like Memory Game, Tongue Twisters, etc. They also enjoyed dancing on their favourite tunes and gave some splendid performances. They enjoyed interacting with their friends and eating delicious snacks. Children took part with great ardour in the grand celebrations and enjoyed their day. Children's Day became more memorable for the children this year as their teachers' surprised them by sending each child an E-Greeting Card, which made the students feel special and adored, they were excited to receive this token of love and it made them very exultant



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"Some people want it to happen, some wish it would happen, others make it happen."

~Michael Jordan

DPS, GBN always believes in providing their students a platform to showcase their talents. With excitement in the air and joy in their hearts, October, saw class III students enthusiastically preparing for their first ever Online Annual Class Presentation 'Kal Aaj Aur Kal'. It was heartening to see the children put in all their hard work and their very best. This drama, 'Kal Aaj Aur Kal' was held on Microsoft Teams for the parents and students on Sunday, November 8, 2020. This was a drama, a slice of our lives, before, during and after, the pandemic. It was a brilliant array of soulful music, together with foot tapping dance performances and power packed anchoring, beautifully intertwined by extraordinary theatrics put up by our young performers. The performances left its audience with hope and positivity. They were awed by the stupendous performance of the students which left a lasting impact on everyone. We thank all the parents who helped us every step of the way in making this show a grand success.



Special Week –Fitness Week

“Sports teaches you character, it teaches you to play by the rules, it teaches you to know what it feels like to win and lose-it teaches you about life”. ~Billie Jean King

It is rightly said that the body achieves what the mind believes. Regular physical activity can help keep our thinking, learning, and judgment skills sharp. In order to make our young Dipsites aware of the importance of Fitness, DPS, GBN celebrated a Special Week- Fitness Week for Classes I – III from November 23- November 27, 2020. A plethora of activities were organized for the children. The week commenced with an activity wherein, the children made a fitness band, discussed the importance of fitness, and took a pledge to stay fit. While the children enjoyed a video on animal yoga and loved practicing them too, they enjoyed a fun activity, Roll for fitness, wherein the children were taught different types of exercises / jumps. Superhero Squats Challenge helped our young ones to build their strength and physical development. A quiz was conducted on the last day to test their knowledge of fitness facts. Each day, Fitness Mantras were shared with the children like ‘Eat Healthy, Stay Healthy’ ‘Fitness Beats Pandemic,’ ‘Get Fit, Don’t Quit’ and many more. All the children enjoyed the fitness week and enthusiastically participated in all the activities. Indeed, fitness is the key factor for a healthy lifestyle and at DPS, GBN we truly believe that health and fitness are one of the most important aspects of life.

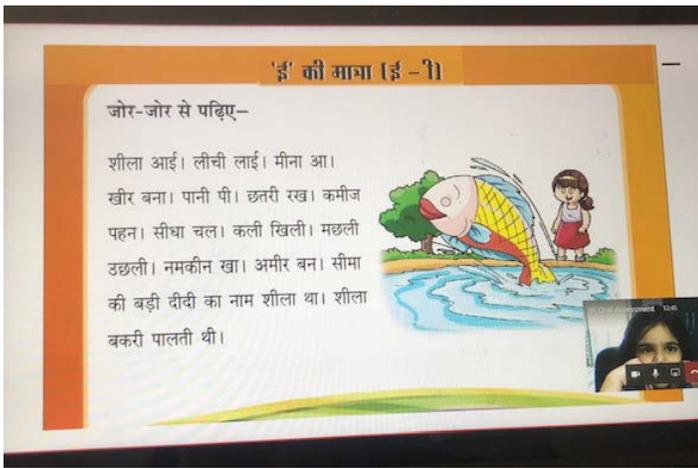


The Learning League

“It’s not how much we give, but how much love we put into giving”. ~Mother Teresa

SUPW as the name suggests have activities which are socially useful and productive. At DPS, GBN, we give our students different opportunities which are beneficial for their all-round development. As part of the WE curriculum, our theme based activity for the month of November was SUPW (Socially Useful and Productive Work). WE activities engage the children and provide holistic learning to them. The idea behind the activity was to make children self-reliant, whereby, they innovate and create something useful, using materials easily accessible to them. These activities help to enhance their creative skills and develop self-confidence, which plays a vital role in their growing years. Children learned and enjoyed making beautiful and colourful diyas and best out of waste utility items like decorative pen stand etc. It was a delight to see our young learners adding their novel ideas to the activity. They enthusiastically participated in all the activities with remarkable outputs. The parents and teachers appreciated the efforts of the children, which made them feel happy and gratified.





The Stepping Stones to Success

“Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out.”
~Robert Collier

Communication skills are vital for a student’s academic success and future prospects. In today’s challenging environment, students not only need academic skills but need to be proficient in their overall demeanor. To monitor the learning outcomes of our young learners, we introduced an online assessment tool, which was successfully designed by the school. The Oral Assessments were conducted on Microsoft Teams platform wherein children were assessed on their reading skills and mathematical knowledge. The children not only interacted with their teachers at length but also strengthened their bond with them. These assessments enabled the students to strengthen their verbal communication skills and fortify self confidence in them. We believe that assessment plays a very important role in ascertaining learning outcomes. DPS, GBN truly believes that practice makes a man perfect, and thus gives its students a platform to learn with continuity.

